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The Hon. Marvin J. Garbis
United States District Judge
District of Maryland
101 West Lombard Street – Chambers 5C
Baltimore, Maryland 21201

Re: *United States v. Harold T. Martin, III*
Crim. No. MJG-17-0069

Dear Judge Garbis:

Harold Martin has asked us to inform the Court that the government seized his wedding ring, a signet ring, and a necklace from him on the day of his arrest. The government has denied that Mr. Martin was wearing these items at the time he was taken into custody. These are items that Mr. Martin routinely wore. They have great significance to him and his family. The government has met with counsel about this issue. They have returned boxes of personal papers and other items. They have not located these items.

Mr. Martin respectfully requests the Court to order the government to return these items to him.

Respectfully,

/s/

James Wyda
Federal Defender

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